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Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action dated August 24, 2005, Applicants respectfully request entry of the following amendments and consideration of the following remarks are respectfully requested.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper; and

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.

Reconsideration of this application is respectfully requested.

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